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STATE OF OHIO)
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COUNTY OF HAMILTON)

Paul D. Harper, being duly sworn, states that he is the Director, Environmental Affairs and Safety, Eagle-Picher Industries, Inc. Paul D. Harper further states that a diligent record search has been completed and that there has been a diligent interviewing process with present and former employees who may have knowledge of the operations, hazardous substance use, storage, treatment, disposal or other handling practices of Eagle-Picher Industries or its Union Steel Products division from 1969 thru March 18, 1982. Paul D. Harper further states that the foregoing responses are true and accurate to the best of his knowledge and belief, and that they will be supplemented if further information demonstrates any part of them is incomplete in any material way.

Paul D. Harper

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of July, 1992.

Notary Public

PATRICIA ANN CLINE
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Commission Expires Dec. 16, 1996